

SPECIAL NOTICE

APPRENTICESHIP AND TRAINING CERTIFICATION

Public Act 93-00642, effective June 1, 2004, amends the Illinois Procurement Code. This impacts all bidders on IDOT projects that are not federally funded. In addition, the requirement also applies to subcontractors.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 30-22 (6) of the Illinois Procurement Code, the bidder must certify that it is a participant, either as an individual or part of a group, in the approved Apprenticeship and Training Programs applicable to each type of work or craft the bidder will perform with its own forces. Further, the bidder must certify that for work that will be performed by subcontract, each of its subcontractors, submitted for approval, either: (a) certification that the subcontractor is participating in an approved, applicable Apprenticeship and Training Program at the time of the bid; or (b) will, prior to commencement of performance of work, pursuant to this contract, begin participation in an approved Apprenticeship and Training Program applicable to the work of the subcontract. This requirement is located in the Proposal in Paragraph K. Apprenticeship and Training Certification.

This is not applicable to federal aid projects. This certification and the required information **must** be submitted with the bid. Bids submitted for state funded projects that do not contain the required information will be declared non-responsive and the bid **will not** be read.

Paragraph K has been revised please read it carefully and submit all required information.